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In re application of:

Werner KNEBEL et al.

Serial No.:

10/713,887 11/14/2003

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action (4 pages) in the above-identified application.

[]	Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
[]	Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
[X]	No fee for additional claims is required.
[]	A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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Docket No.: 5005.1064 Date: November 21, 2005

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[]	Also transmitted herewith are: [ ] Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 [ ] Other:
[]	Check(s) in the amount of \$ is/are attached to cover: [ ] Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 [ ] Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 [ ] Other:

[X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

[X] Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

[X] [X] Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR

1.136.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the final office action dated September 19, 2005 received in the aboveidentified application, applicant hereby respectfully requests reconsideration of the application based on the following remarks.